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# *Hawley to Head Geolog Dept.; Potter Named Second Member*

Mr. David Hawley of Mount Holyoke College has been appointed Assistant Professor of Geology and Chairman of the Geology Department at Hamilton. Donald Potter, who is now working on his PhD Degree at the California Institute of Technology has been selected as the second member of the Department.

Dr. Hawley received his Bachelor's degree from the University of Vermont in 1937 and his Master's from Cornell in 1940. After working for the Texas Company for three years he joined the navy. He left the navy as a lieutenant senior grade in 1946 and went to Columbia to work on his Doctorate, which he received in 1952. His last two summers have been spent in Alaska with the United States Geological Survey and as senior geologist with the Boston University Air Force Survey. Hawley has said that he will continue the geology courses next year as described in the college catalog.

Potter received his bachelor's degree at Williams in 1941 where he was a member of the ski team and was active in singing groups. After receiving his masters from Brown, he went to the California Institute of Technology as a graduate assistant. He has traveled in Italy, Mexico and Newfoundland, and has worked with the United States Geological Survey in Colorado. Potter is married and has four children. He will assume the post of Assistant Professor at Hamilton.

## Baldwin Receives Promotion in Hill Music Department

John Baldwin, organist and master of the choir at Grace Church, Utica, has resigned his position there to take a job as full time assistant professor of music at Hamilton.

BALDWIN

Baldwin, who has been a lecturer in music and choir director here since 1946, has been with Grace Church since his appointment in 1946. From 1950 to 1953, he served as Dean of the Central New York Chapter of the American Guild of Organists and was chairman of the regional convention of the A.G.O. in Utica last June.

Baldwin, whose resignation from Grace Church will go into effect June 30, will teach four regular courses here next semester and will continue as Choir conductor and organist at the Sunday Chapel services.

## Intramural Sing To be Held May 12; Rules Announced

The Choir will sponsor the Intramural Sing scheduled this year for May 12.

The Sing will be a competition including singing of groups representing each of the eleven fraternities, Squires Club, and the Independents. The first place winner will be awarded the Berrian R. Shute Intramural Sing Trophy, and will keep it until next year's Sing.

The following rules apply to the Sing:

1. Each singing group must number at least one-third of the total membership of the organization it represents.
2. The director of the group must be a member of the organization the group represents.
3. Each group will sing two selections. Fraternity songs are permitted, but not required. Not more than one fraternity song

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## Shapely Scheduled To Speak Monday In College Chapel

### Top Authority On Astronomy

Dr. Harlow Shapely, director of the Harvard Observatory, will speak at Hamilton Monday, April 19, in the Chapel at 8 p.m. His lecture will be entitled *The Story of the Galaxies.*

Shapely was graduated from the University of Missouri in 1911. Since then, he has become internationally known as a leading authority and lecturer on astronomy. In 1913, he received his PhD degree from Princeton University and worked at the Mount Wilson Observatory.

Shapely has been an exchange lecturer at Oxford University and he is the holder of thirteen honorary degrees. Some of the awards he has won for his work in astronomy include the Draper Medal of the National Academy, the Rumford Medal of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and the Pope Pius XI prize.

Although Shapely has been called before several Congressional Committees investigating communism, Dr. Earl Count, Chairman of the College Lecture Series Committee, described him as a "liberal patriot on the side of American constitutional rights."

Shapely has recently returned from delivering a series of astronomy lectures throughout the country.

## IFC Expresses Content Over Hell Week Procedure

### Academic Council Statement Read

By Dave Nelson

At its meeting last Monday night the Interfraternity Council heard President Otto Badenhausen read a report from the Academic Council on the subject of Initiation Week.

The report expressed satisfaction at the progress which has been achieved and commended the fraternities generally for the way in which the Week was run last February. The Academic Council believes that there is still room for improvement, and its report cited what were felt to be four weaknesses in the initiation program as conducted this year.

1. Because freshmen had frequently been absent from practice sessions and games of athletic teams during Initiation Week, the Academic Council recommended that rules covering attendance at these activities be adopted by the I.F.C.

2. While the class attendance and performance of freshmen was felt to be good, the Academic Council noted that this was not always true of the sophomores.

3. The report warned against a letdown in classroom performance following Initiation Week and proposed that fraternity activities not be carried over into Sunday.

4.Since there are at present no penalties for infractions of Initiation Week rules, it was urged that the IFC be empowered to impose sanctions when necessary.

The reaction of the IFC to the report was largely favorable, except for some reservations about points one and four. The report will be passed on to next year's Council, with the recommendation that an over-all discussion of Initiation Week be started much earlier than was done this year.

## *Debaters to Compete in Second Amherst Tourney Saturday*

by Cal Torrance

Four debaters will represent Hamilton in the second annual Amherst Invitational Debate Tournament tomorrow. Hamilton won the tournament last year with a record of eight victories and no defeats. Murray Goldstone and David Nelson for the Negative, and Jim Magee and Peter O'Hara for the Affirmative, will attempt to capture the trophy for the second successive year.

Goldstone and Nelson swept to victories in their four debates at this tournament last year, and they hold a 16-2 record in Varsity Intercollegiate debating competition over the past two years. Magee and O'Hara, in their first year of varisty debating, are still unbeaten in ten debates on the affirmative side of the question. Debate Club Advisor Professor Franklin Hunt will accompany the debaters as a faculty judge.

Last weekend the district tournament of the New York State division of the National Forensic League was held on the Hill. Approximately 120 high school students from 10 different schools participated, with Hamilton students and faculty serving as judges and timekeepers for the different events.

Jeffersonville High School finished first in the tournament and Jamestown High School was second. Jeffersonville also finished

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## Shakespeare Play Slated for Four May Performances

by Bill D'Aran

The Charlatans' production of *Henry VI, Part I* will be the Friday night feature of spring Houseparty, William Woodman, the play's director, announced this week. The play will also be presented on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, May 4 and 5, and on Thursday afternoon, May 6.

Woodman also announced the female leads for the production. Ann Hockmeyer will portray Lady Percy, and Sylvia Saunders will play Mistress Quickly.

**Revisions Made**

Several revisions of the male cast have been made. Alan Kempler will plan Vernon, and other new roles have been assigned to Robert Ward, as Westmoreland, Ted Law as Douglas and Carmen Bufania as Northumberland.

Professor Berrian R. Shute will compose and conduct a score of incidental music for the presentation. The music will be played by an orchestra composed of Hill students.

Ralph Noveck will be in charge of the Elizabethan type settings, which are designed by Trafford Allpass. Robert Leslie will be in charge of the construction crew. Lighting will be handled

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### Charlatans Broadcast

*The Dry Season* by Ron Sproat '54, a winner of the Charlatans' one-act play contest, was recorded at WIBX last Wednesday. It will be broadcast over that station at 10 p.m. this Sunday night as a part of the 1953-54 Hamilton College radio and television series. The play will be presented with the original cast and by the same director, Pieter Mayer '54.

# Two Hill Seniors Granted Fellowships For Concentrated Graduate Study

Omar Pound '54 (left) and Jerome Vogel '54, winners of graduate fellowships for study at McGill University and the University of Dijon respectively.

## Vogel Gets French Literature Award; Pound to Study at McGill University

Two Hamilton seniors, Jerry Vogel and Omar Pound, have been awarded prize scholarships to study at foreign universities. Vogel won a Fulbright scholarship to study at the University of Dijon in France, while Pound was awarded a fellowship to the Islamic Institute at McGill University in Canada.

Vogel is among approximately 400 men who were accepted from several thousand for the Fulbright award. The scholarship will allow him to spend a year in France studying French literature. It will give him traveling and living expenses plus tuition and other college expenses.

Vogel, a graduate of Science High School in New York City, is majoring in English and French literature at Hamilton. He is presently working on an Independent Study paper on the 19th Century French poet, Baudelaire.

The McGill fellowship will allow Pound to obtain his M.A. degree in classical Arabic and Persian studies. He is majoring in Anthropology at Hamilton.

Pound, a World War II veteran, has traveled widely. He came to Hamilton in 1947 and left in 1919 to spend six months in France and another six months in Britain at the London School Of African and Oriental Studies. He then won a Persian government scholarship for a year's study of Persian in Iran a year's study of Persian in Iran. Pound returned to Hamilton in the fall of 1953 to complete his studies for a B.A. degree.

## *Hamilton to Honor Cole and Lewis with Honorary Degrees*

BY HANK NADIG

At Commencement exercises in June, Hamilton College will confer two of its honorary degrees on Judge Edmund Harris Lewis and William Harder Cole, '14.

Cole received his A.B. from Hamilton in 1914 and his A.M. from Harvard in 1916. In 1921 he got his Ph.D. at Harvard. He was an instructor in Zoology at Penn State from 1916 until 1920. He became professor of Biology at Lake Forest University in 1921. In 1928 Cole took his present position of professor of Physiology and Biochemistry at Rutgers University. At June commencement exercises Cole will receive the degree of Doctor of Science.

Cole is director of the Mt. Desert Island Biological Laboratory. He was appointed director in 1931. He is the author of more than 6 scientific articles on biological subjects. In collaboration with . R. Allison he wrote the *Laboratory Manual in General Physiology.* Cole is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi.

Judge Edmund Harris Lewis will receive the degree of Doctor of Laws. He is Chief Judge of the New York Court of Appeals. Lewis was born in Syracuse in 1884 and in 1907 received his A.B. degree from Yale. In 199 he received his LL.B. from Syracuse University. He has received honorary degrees of LL.D. from Syracuse, Colgate and Middlebury. He has served as Deputy Attorney General, Corporation Counsel, Justice of

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## Phi Beta Kappa

Five members of the Class of 1954 have been elected to the Hamilton chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, according to a Chapel announcement Thursday. The five Seniors are: John Hitchcock, Jerome Vogel, Torry James Luce Jr., Richard John Niebanck, and Harry Gordon Wadsworth.

Vogel, an Independent, is a member of the Charlatans and has written for *The Contintntal* and *The Spectator.* He is the winner of a Kellogg Essay prize and, last year, was awarded the

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## McKinney Prize Speakers Named

Four students from each of the three lower classes have been named to participate in the annual McKinney Prize Speaking Contest. On Friday April 23 these students will compete in the Alpha Delt lounge for the two book prizes that are awarded to the best two speakers in each class.

**Federal Tax Debate**

On Wednesday April 28, four seniors, Sheldon Glass, Murray Goldstone, Dick Niebanck and Rocco Solimando will debate the topic, "Resolved: that double taxation on dividends should be abolished from the federal tax laws." The prize for first place is $50; for second place $25. The contestants are nominated by the public speaking department and selected on the basis of their scholastic standing, public speaking grades and ability as debaters.

**Speakers Listed**

The four juniors who will speak are Don Goss, Sandy Klein, Ron Krauss and Harold Sussman. They will speak impromptu.

The sophomores, who will give extemporaneous speeches, are Dick Corradi, Tom Hasenpflug, Neil MacLean and Marty Sorger.

Freshmen Hurd Baruch, Alan Kempler, Pete O'Hara and Gary Tischler, will deliver memorized declamations.

## Reporter Reviews TV Fight Between Sen. and Murrow

### Murrow Rebukes McCarthy's Attack

by Bob Connor

On March 9 Edward R. Murrow presented 25 minutes of films and recordings on CBS' television program *See It Now* showing Senator Joseph R. McCarthy in action. Murrow charged that McCarthy relied heavily on half truths in his investigations, had "repeatedly" overstepped the line between legitimate investigation and persecution and had given "considerable comfort to our enemies." If the Senator believes we have done violence to his words or pictures, offered Murrow, he will have an opportunity to reply on this program.

McCarthy accepted the offer, and, after a skirmish with Murrow over the broadcast of Fulton Lewis, r. on March 11, counterattacked on Murrow's program of April 6. There he made two main charges.

The first was that the Communists had infiltrated in the government. "If there were no Communists in our government," asked the Senator, "why did we delay for 18 months—delay our research on the hydrogen bomb, even though our intelligence agencies were reporting day after day that the Russians were feverishly pushing their development of the hydrogen bomb?"

President Eisenhower, who said that he regarded Murrow as a personal friend, answered this question when he said that he knew of no 18 month delay in the production of the H bomb.

Secondly, McCarthy charged that Murrow had repeatedly followed the Communist propaganda line. He charged that Murrow was a trustee of the Institute of International Edu-

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## Hill Grieves Death of Eliot C. Burton Superintendent on Hill for 37 Years

Elliott C. Burton, for 31 years superintendent of grounds and buildings at Hamilton, died early Tuesday morning, March 30, in his College Hill home, just two days before his retirement was to go into effect. He was 67 years old.

A civil engineer, Burton graduated from Clarkson College in 1912, and went to work for the Canadian Pacific Railroad as a drafting engineer. After two years he became a building foreman, and in 1922 went to work as a building inspector for the Utica Board of Education. He came to Hamilton College in 1923.

Since then he has supervised the operations of the College's water system, buildings, heating system, sewer system, and roads.

Burton is survived by his wife, his three daughters, and five grandchildren.

ELLIOT C. BURTON

## Block H Fetes Hill Athletes At Banquet

The Hamilton College Block H Club went all out to fete its athletes last night by presenting an interesting, well-rounded program in the Soper Hall of Commons.

Featured speaker of the awards dinner was Les Dye, end coach at Syracuse University. The dinner was attended by 100 athletes, faculty members and special guests, chiefly Sherrill Sherman, captain of Hamilton's first basketball teamm in 1904.

Sherman provided the surprise of the evening by donating a special award in golf, in the name of his brother, Tom Sherman, Hamilton, '06. It was accepted by Director of Athletics Mox A. Weber.

The four other special sports awards came as no surprise as Otto Badenhausen captured the Schulman Award in soccer as the player who contributed most to the team. Pete Eckel, next year's co-captain, won the Cambell Award in basketball, and Dick Price, captain of this year's hockey team, won the Sellers Award for sportsmanship and leadership. Utica's Ben Salkuski received the Fowler Award for outstanding performance in football.

In a new trophy award instituted this year, 17 Hamilton athletes became the first to be recognized for having won a letter four consecutive years, Dinny Calkins and Dave Doty walking off with two each. Coach Bill Tomik awarded six Block H numerals in swimming, Ken Patrick handed out eight in basketball while Gregg Batt gave 14 in hockey.

Batt gave credit to the 13 hockey freshmen and expressed op-

**Students or faculty members who have not yet contributed to the Athens Book Drive, are asked to leave their books, preferably novels, at the faculty lounge in Middle Dormitory.**

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## Credit Is Given . . .

The new *Spectator* staff congratulates the old for producing a newspaper that was both informative and stimulating. Editorials ranging from Hell Week to McCarthyism kept readers aware of issues both on and *off* the Hill. News stories highlighting events on the Hill, such as coming lectures, changes in College policies, and the Eta Chi Club, have interested and informed students on the various aspects of Hill activity.

A large measure of the credit for the success of the paper goes to Dan Fulmer, outgoing editor. Besides carrying the burden of the paper's editorials, he has co-ordinated the rest of the staff and sparked them in the production of the newspaper. Furthermore, he has trained each of the new staff so that we may hope to maintain the tradition of accurate, stimulating reporting and provocative editorials that we have seen in the past years.

The re-organization of the staff and division of the paper into three fields is largely Fulmer's accomplishment. Formerly, the task of producing the paper was largely borne by one man. With the re-organization, the burden should be lightened for all concerned. We hope this will lead to even more comprehensive news reporting, editorial writing, and efficient management.

Of course, the paper could never have been produced without the efforts of the out-going business manager, Frank Weber, and his staff. We look forward to the same fine co-operation with the new business manager, Jim Balch.

In short, the new *Spectator* staff undertakes its duties with a feeling of enthusiasm and a promise to meet the challenge presented by the fine work of the out-going staff.

## Where Credit Is Due . . .

Everyone realizes the competence and efficiency with which Mr. Eliot C. Burton carried on his duties as Superintendent of Grounds and Buildings here. When he died on March 30 shortly before his retirement, the College Community realized what a task it would be to replace him.

His duties required a man skilled in many fields. He kept the water mains free of leaks, installed power lines, repaired College dormitories and campus roads, and cleared College Hill Road of snow during the winter, to mention a few of his tasks. He was a skilled combination of a police and fire chief, a distributor of power and light, and a building maintenance operator.

On the job 7 days a week at all hours, he was the man to call at midnight when the street lights went off. Known to the undergraduates as "The General," he was regarded as a competent and skilled administrator of the College plant.

For this writer, whenever an assignment led me past his door, he was always willing to lend a helping hand. In this way, he was not only a skilled administrator, but a man willing to devote his time to any problems not directly connected with his immediate task. The College Community will miss him as a helpful friend and a skilled administrator.

## ADLIBBING

by Tom Raynor

*Destry Rides Again,* this week's SCA film presentation is a delightfully different comedy. Produced in 1939 by Joe Pasternak, *Destry* is a US western with German-born Marlene Dietrich cast as a French-born entertainer in a wild west saloon. Russian-born Mischa Auer is an expatriate Cossak with a will to be a cow hand, and James Stewart is the easy-talking, no-gun sheriff who brings law to lawless Bottle Neck.

The result is something new in the genre. Perhaps the first thing that will make local screen conoisseurs sit up about ten degrees straighter is the Dietrich personality. So devastating was the effect of her performance *the Back Room* on top of a bar, is a greater work of art than the that it prompted J. M. Patterson, publisher of the *New York News,* to declare in a Sunday editorial: "Marlene Dietrich in short skirts, singing *The Boys in* Venus de Milo . . ."

**Better than Venus de Milo?**

This statement might be over-

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# Exam Schedule

APPROVED FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE—
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**May 24 - June 2**

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| Morning Exams | 9:00 - 12:00 |
| Afternoon Exams | 2:00 - 5:00 |
| English Comp. 14 | 1:30 - 5:30 |
| Public Speaking 12 | 9:00 - 11:00 |

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| **Monday a.m., May 24** | |
| Ancient Civilizaton 32 | Benedict 1 |
| Anthropology 22 | Science 9 |
| Chemistry 34 | Chemistry 15 |
| Economics 42 | Root 33 |
| English Lit. 42 | Root 6 |
| Geology 24 | Science 104 |
| Greek 12 | Middle 101 |
| Greek 36 | Middle 101 |
| Mathematics 34 | Root 24 |
| Mathematics 40 | Root 24 |
| Philosophy 24 | Truax 1 |
| Polit. Sci. 12 | Science 109, 211 |
| Political Science 34 | Root 20 |
| Spanish 36 | Benedict 3 |
| **Monday p.m., May 24** | |
| Education 22 | Root 26 |
| English Lit. 34 | Truax 1 |
| Philosophy 32 | Root 23 |
| Philosophy 34 | Root 20 |
| Physics 12 (b) | Science 312 |
| **Tuesday a.m., May 25** | |
| Chemistry 12 | Chem. 10, Sci 109 |
| English Lit. 22 (f) | Root 23 |
| English Lit. 32 | Truax 1 |
| English Lit. 44 | Root 20 |
| Philosophy 22 | Truax 3, 4, 6 |
| **Tuesday p.m., May 25** | |
| Anthropology 12 | Science 109 |
| Education 32 | Root 26 |
| German 22 (d) | Benedict 6 |
| German 36 | Benedict 5 |
| Greek 32 | Middle 101 |
| Mathematics 32 | Root 24 |
| Music 22 | Benedict 3 |
| Music 32 | Silliman 2 |
| Physics 12 (d, f) | Science 312 |
| Political Science 22 | Truax 1, 3 |
| **Wednesday a.m., May 26** | |
| Geology 26 | Science 104 |
| German 32 | Benedict 6 |
| Latin 32 | Benedict 1 |
| Mathematics 38 | Root 6 |
| Psychology 22 | Science 109, 211 |
| Psychology 34 | Chemistry 10 |
| Public Speaking 12 (a) | Root 26 |
| " " 12 (b,d,h) | Truax 4, 6 |
| " " 12 (c,s) | Root 20, 23 |
| " " 12 (e,g,p) | Truax 1, 3 |
| **Wednesday p.m., May 26** | |
| Anthropology 24 | Science 109 |
| Biology 22 | Science 211 |
| English Lit. 36 | Root 23 |
| French 30 | Benedict 1 |
| German 12 (c-g) | Benedict 6 |
| Greek 22 | Middle 101 |
| Mathematics 12 | Root 26 |
| Mathematics 26 | Root 24 |
| Music 14 | Benedict 3 |
| Phys. Science 12 | Chemistry 15 |
| Physics 32 | Science 312 |
| Polit. Science 24 | Root 6 |
| Polit. Science 32 | Truax 1 |
| **Thursday a.m., May 27** | |
| Economics 34 | Truax 1 |
| Education 34 | Root 6 |
| Eng. Lit. 22 (b,d) | Root 20,23,26 |
| Physics 36 | Science 312 |
| **Thursday p.m., May 27** | |
| Chemistry 22 | Chemistry 10 |
| Chemistry 38 | Chemistry 10 |
| Economics 38 | Benedict 1 |
| Eng. Comp. 12 (a,h) | Truax 4,6 |
| Eng. Comp. 12 (b,f) | Truax 1 |
| Eng. Comp. 12 (c) | Root 26 |
| Eng. Comp. 12 (g,q) | Truax 3 |
| Eng. Comp 14 (b-f) | Root 20 |
| Eng. Comp. 14 (d-h) | Root 23 |
| French 36 | Benedict 5 |
| History 42 | Benedict 3 |
| Physics 22 | Science 312 |
| Psychology 32 | Science 310 |
| **Friday a.m., May 28** | |
| Art 32 | Root 33 |
| Biology 12 | Science 109, 211 |
| Biology 24 | Science 310 |
| Economics 36 | Truax 1 |
| Latin 12 | Benedict 6 |
| Political Science 38 | Root 20 |
| **Friday p.m., May 28** | |
| Eng. Lit. 22 (c,g) | Truax 1,3 |
| Eng. Lit. 38 | Truax 4 |
| Mathematics 16 | Root 20,23,24,26 |
| Spanish 22 | Benedict 1,3 |
| **Saturday a.m., May 29** | |
| Anthropology 34 | Root 6 |
| History 12 | Truax 1,3,4 |
| History 40 | Truax 6 |
| Philosophy 26 | Root 20,23,26 |
| **Saturday p.m., May 29** | |
| Biology 32 | Science 211 |
| Contemp. Inst. 12 | Truax 3 |
| Eng. Lit. 22(a) | Truax 1 |
| French 34 | Benedict 3 |
| Geology 12 | Science 109 |
| German 12 (a-e) | Benedict 6 |
| History 22 | Truax 4,6 |
| Psychology 36 | Chemistry 10 |
| Spanish 30 | Benedict 5 |
| **Monday a.m., May 31** | |
| French 12 | Chemistry 10 |
| French 14 | Science 109,211 |
| French 22 | Truax 1,3 |
| German 14 | Benedict 5,6 |
| Spanish 12 | Root 23 |
| Spanish 14 | Root 20, 26 |
| **Monday p.m., May 31** | |
| Economics 22 | Truax 1,3,4,6 |
| French 42 | Benedict 5 |
| **Tuesday a.m., June 1** | |
| Art 34 | Root 33 |
| Chemistry 32 | Science 109 |
| Latin 22 | Benedict 1 |
| Music 12 | Benedict 3,5 |
| Music 24 | Silliman 2 |
| Psychology 38 | Root 26 |
| **Tuesday p.m., June 1** | |
| Art 24 | Chemistry 10 |
| Mathematics 14 | Root 24,26 |
| Music 34 | Silliman 2 |
| **Wednesday a.m., June 2** | |
| Philosophy 12 | Science 109,211 |
| Philosophy 42 | Root 20 |
| **Wednesday p.m., June 2** | |
| Ancient Civilization 12 | Truax 1 |
| Eng. Lit. 22 (e) | Root 23 |
| German 22 (e) | Benedict 6 |
| History 34 | Truax 6 |
| Political Science 44 | Root 20 |

## Chairman of Board To Speak on Hill

Clark Minor, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, will lecture at Hamilton on Monday evening, April 22, at the Chi Psi Lodge. His talk will deal with the importance of the free enterprise system as a stimulus to business.

Mr. Minor was graduated from Hamilton in 1902 and was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. He was first elected to the Board of Trustees in 1927 and has served on it since then.

Extremely active in business affairs, Minor has been President of the International General Electric Corporation.

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## Jr. Honor Society Taps Jim Schade

Jim Schade, TKE, was tapped by Was Los after Chapel Thursday. Earl Cline, Psi U., was tapped by the junior honorary society last week.

Schade, newly elected president of the Class of '56, is a member of the Choir and was recently appointed associate editor of the *Spectator* for next year. He was news editor this year.

Cline quarterbacked the football team last fall and was a stand-out member of the track team last year, setting a Hill record in the broad jump.

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## Here And There

Miss Flora Schnall, in her Russell Sage *Quill* "Capitol to Campus" column, confidentially reports that the "apparent motive" of the Puerto Ricans who shot up the House of Representatives was to "win freedom from the United States for Puerto Rico." However, Miss Schnall informs us, they failed. She sums up the situation by saying that Puerto Rico is a small island in the Carribean, and should get along with the United States because, like our country, it is a "teeming melting pot of nations." It is thrilling to find such political astuteness in a college newspaper. We wonder what would be the results if it were applied to the pressing problems of Indo-China and the H-Bomb. . . .

Students accepted for the freshman class at Lafayette College have the opportunity to take courses in the summer on how to study and an introduction to the study of history under a program recently inaugurated there. . . . Brown University has recently instituted a program of corporation scholarships, each scholarship worth $1,250, given in the name of the company to a student chosen by the University. The program was started several months ago and now amounts to 33 scholarships valued at $41,250.

Of interest to Hamilton students concerned with business prospects is the recent poll by Dr. Frank Endicott, director of placement at Northwestern University. He asked companies "If a college man really has management potential will it make any difference in the long run whether he is technically trained or trained in liberal arts." From 189 replies, 111 companies said it made no difference, 66 favored technical training, and 12 favored a liberal arts background. . . Students beginning psychology at SanDiego College were asked what they considered their "most valuable asset." Two answered "intellignce." Both mispelled it.

The *Vermont Cynic* recently backed a resolution asking the University to abandon its present policy of permitting no known communist on the University staff. They asked that teachers be judged on performance and not according to political affiliation. . . According to the Wells' *Grapevine,* the University of Houston's dormitory council has issued the following rules:

"1. Area outside of 'D' and 'E' dorm reception rooms approved for goodnight kisses only.

2. Cullen Boulevard, side of 'D' dorm, recommended.

3. Cars in dorm parking lot only if we can see your heads showing over car seat.

4. All other areas are taboo. Don't go about wrecking the necking by using taboo areas."

While we're on the subject, a recent ruling at Northwestern University permits goodnight kissing only if all four feet are kept on the floor.

## LETTERS

**¶ This column is open to expressions of opinion on any and all subjects. All letters must be signed, but name will not be used unless directed.**

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Dear Editor:

During the school year many of us regret the fact that we lack the time to do supplementary reading in courses in which we are especially interested. If the faculty were to post lists of books which present instructive background material in a lively manner, the students' summer reading could serve to increase interest and enthusiasm in our classes next September.

More than once professors have complained about the thin scholastic background with which students enter their courses.

Last June the political science department gave summer reading lists to the students completing the first year survey course and many of them have said they found the suggested books both pleasant reading and profitable scholastically.

With some encouragement from the faculty, sincere student interest in one or two fields of study could be further developed and matured during the summer.

Sincerely,
Al Rothenberg, '56

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## Officers for Next Year Are Elected By Underclassmen

### Reed, Schade, O'Hara Picked

Ed Reed, Jim Schade, and Pete O'Hara have been elected presidents of the classes of 1955, 1956, and 1957 respectively. Yesterday's elections, held in Chapel, were runoffs between the two candidates in each class who had received the most votes in the election held in Chapel on Thursday, April 8.

Each of these presidents becomes a member of next year's Student Council. Four other members of the Council will be elected in Chapel on May 6. The nominating period for these offices opened yesterday. Any member of the lower three classes may run either as a representative of either his class or as representative of any class, but not of both.

According to Pete Van Volkenburgh, Chairman of the Student Council Election Committee, the petitions must contain at least 40 and not more than 50 names and are to be submitted by noon next Thursday, either to Van Volkenburgh, Otto Badenhausen, or Stan Schade.

Ed Reed, the new President of next year's Senior class and ex officio member of the Student Council, is a Psi U from Albany, New York. He is captain of the football team and co-captain of the lacrosse team. He is a member of Was Los.

Jim Schade, President of the class of 1954, was tapped by Was Los on Thursday. He was Secretary-Treasurer of his class last year, associate editor of *The Spectator,* a member of the Choir and of D.T. Schade is a TKE from Aspinwall, Pennsylvania.

Pete O'Hara, a Chi Psi from Norwich, New York, is a member of the Debate club and was a member of the committee running last week's New York State division of the National Foren-

At Silliman Hall the class of 1955 elected Sam Lang, Vice-President, and Pieter Van Volkenburgh, Secretary-Treasurer. Lang is a Chi Psi who is on the

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# Tennis Squad Sports Three Vete[illegible] Five Experienced Men on Gol[illegible]

The golf team, coached again this year by Don Jones, has just begun outside practice with the opening of the golf course Tuesday. The squad is far from being set, but at first glance it would seem that holdovers Doty, Persons, Koehler, Goodhand and Allen will definitely see action. Others who are liable to make the squad are newcomers Jack Taylor, Jerry Smith, and Jim Schade.

Mox Weber's tennis team which enjoyed an undefeated season last year has been fortunate in having the Sage Building to practice in, and has been working out since April 6. Coach Weber has three remaining singles players from the undefeated team of a year ago. They are Goodstein, Presburg and Grey. Along with Rich Miller, who was used solely as a doubles player last season, they are likely to fill the first four singles' spots. The other positions on the squad are likely to be filled from among Ravendahl, Cox, Pollock, and Bradley.

# Stickmen Lose In Practice Game

In their first regular outdoor scrimmage, Coach Tomik's lacrosse men were walloped by the powerful Onandaga Indians, 31 [illegible], in a practice game played at Syracuse last Saturday.

The game can not be counted as a fair indication of Hamilton's potential and prospects, for only sixteen players made the trip, and many were experimenting in unfamiliar positions. It did show up how much the lack of outdoor scrimmages, caused by poor weather, has hurt them, and also pointed out a very weak defense.

Don Ivers, last year's high scorer, and little Bob Fellows each scored two goals for the Blue.

The regular season opens tomorrow at Geneva, when the Continentals take on the Hobart College team.

# Freshmen Sailors Take Second Spot In Syracuse Meet

## First Varsity Meet Saturday

The newly organied Hamilton College Sailing Club was recently accepted into the Middle Atlantic Intercollegiate Sailing Association on the basis of Associate membership. This is the first step towards full membership, and it puts the club on the official association schedule.

**Frosh Place Second**

The freshmen sailing team last Saturday afternoon accentuated this new status by placing second in the freshmen elimination "D" at Syracuse. By virtue of this showing, the freshmen have earned the right to compete in the Middle Atlantic Freshmen Championship regatta at Kings Point on the 25th of April. In the meet last Saturday, Syracuse placed first with 32 points and Cornell was third with 25 points, one point behind Hamil-

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# Starting Basebell Lineup Set by Batt

**Co-captain "Dinny" Calkins, whose bat paced the blue attack on the baseball team's spring trip.**

of the association, each team must enter an "A" and a "B" skipper, each of whom sails in

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Discounting the poor showing of the Hamilton College baseball team on its annual Spring tour, coach Greg Batt said today that he expects a "hustling club with good possibilities" for the 1954 season. The Continentals open the year next Saturday against Utica College in a home game.

Batt said he was not discouraged by the five straight losses to the southern schools since those games were the first time the Buff and Blue nine had been able to work out of doors. "The trip was valuable," he concluded, "because it showed who the real ballplayers were."

The Hill mentor stated that he was highly impressed by the work of freshmen Al McGann and Bob Lambert. McGann, who is to be used both as a pitcher and outfielder, may grab a starting berth by virtue of his hitting ability. Lambert turned in some good mound stints on the Southern swing.

Co-captain Dinny Calkins and second-sacker John Glezen paced the Hamilton squad at the plate on the trip. Calkins banged out a homerun in addition to some timely shorter hits.

Freshman Dave Warner, and John Penny have taken over the pitching leadership. Batt explained that he was encouraged by the "great deal of speed" shown by Penny who was lost for the year in '53 after the first game. Another hurler, George Padgett, has been shifted to the outfield and has been dong some heavy hitting.

Most of the infield slots have been annexed by last year's returnees with Joe Giglio at third, Ken Higgins at shortstop, and Glezen holding down second. Freshman Al Olson is giving Dave Moffett a battle for the first baseman's job, according to Batt.

Six new players, chosen from a tryout last week to round out the 25-man squad, are outfielders Bob Regan and Hugh Montgomery, third baseman Ward Olney, pitcher Dick Arnold, and catchers Mike Tager and Larry Wagner.

# TIME OUT

### BY PETE MEINKE

Because this issue marks the beginning of the new Spectator staff, and comes during a momentary lull in sports activities on the Hill, I decided to overlook what our teams are doing and are going to do, and instead take a look at what Hamilton has done in the past year, from this time in '53 right up to the present.

**Actually, the results have not been bad. There is always a lot of talk around with the idea that Hamilton is continually losing; some feel that we should give up trying and should migrate into the library instead, where we belong.**

The facts do not bear out this attitude at all. The eleven official teams of our college participated in 90 regularly scheduled contests over the past year, winning 43 and tying one. This is certainly not a disgraceful record; in fact, for a college of our size, usually competing against larger schools, to lose only three more games than it won over the period of a year is, at least, quite satisfactory.

**Our most successful representative was Mox Weber's tennis team, which finished with an unblemished 9-0 record. Right behind them, coached by Don Jones, was the senior-laden golf team, with only one loss in ten matches. Coach Jones, however, lost through graduation such men as Kinney, Bugliari, Robertson, and Al Persons, all of whom will be badly missed this year. The fact that Hamilton's only outstanding records were compiled in golf and tennis shows up the fact that we are more successful in individual sports events rather than team competitions, which is only natural in a small college.**

Gene Long's cross-country men were the only other Hamilton aggregation to achieve a winning record, capturing three out of five meets, just a little better than the Spring track team, which divided their four meets. From here on, as we go into the team sports, the records show the losses outweighing the victories.

**The basketball team had its ups and downs, but, led by Pete Eckel, showed itself capable of playing fine ball, and missed its first winning season in many years by running into a red-hot Utica club on the last night of the season, winding up with 7 wins in 15 starts. The hockey team surprised everyone by finishing strong, especially on party weekend against Amherst, to achieve a 6-9 record for this year, and shows great promise of much better results in the future.**

The Fall sports, soccer and football, compiled similar records. The soccermen finished at 2-4-1 (tie), while the Blue raiders won 2 out of six, and had one game cancelled. Strong defensively the football "11" could not get its offense going, but next year with the probable return of Bill Fivaz and freshman star Carl Hansen, Coach Jones should field a much stronger squad. On the other hand, the soccer team will be badly hampered by the loss of its newly-elected captain, Bob Ritt.

**Near the bottom of the latter were baseball, at 2-7, and lacrosse, with a 1-5 record. Unfortunately, these two teams appear headed for trouble again this Spring, and it may take some time to develop a winning combination in both sports. The swimming team is at the bottom through no fault of its own. With all home meets cancelled and no practice in the pool, their 0-4 record was to be expected.**

No Hamiltonite should be embarrassed by this overall showing of 43 wins, 46 losses, and one tie. Next year, with the probable improvement of several teams, especially football, swimming, and hockey, the percentage should be well over the .500 mark.

**At the Tuesday night meeting of Sigma Phi Pete Van Volkenburg '55 was elected President of the fraternity, James Balch '55 was elected Rushing Chairman,**

## Debate . . . Cont'd.

first in the oratorical declamation, while Jamestown captured first and second in boys' extemporaneous speaking. Poughkeepsie High School won the original oratory contest.

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## Murrow . . . Cont'd.

cation and that in 1935 "he was one of a group of 'American advisors to (a) communist propaganda school'." Murrow was, asserted McCarthy, formerly a member of the I.W.W.; and had had a book dedicated to him by Harold Laski, allegedly a Communist. Finally McCarthy pointed out that the *Daily Worker,* that had frequently condemned McCarthy, had praised Murrow's broadcast.

This Tuesday on *See It Now* Murrow commented on the controversy, and tried to clear up "certain misstatements of fact made on this broadcast last week," Since the Junior Senator from Wisconsin had made "no reference to any statement of fact made on the (Murrow) broadcast of March 9," Murrow said that he assumed those statements did not misrepresent the Senator.

Then Murrow refuted several of McCarthy's incorrect statements. These include:

The charge that the Institute of International Education was a Communist organization. Among the members of the I.I.E. are John Foster Dulles, Ralph Bunche, and Milton Eisenhower. The institute has been commended by President Eisenhower, and condemned as "reactionary" by the Soviets.

The charge that he was a member of the I.W.W.

The charge that Laski, who dedicated a book to Murrow was a Communist. "Laski," Murrow pointed out," was a Socialist; I am not. Laski was a civilized individual who didn't insist on political agreement for conversation and friendship."

The charge that Murrow, since he was praised by the *Daily Worker,* followed the Communist party line in attacking McCarthy. In the same article, the *Worker* praised Senator Ralph Flanders, Adlai Stevenson, President Eisenhower and others who had rebuked McCarthy.

Finally, Murrow pointed out that a man who had a reputation of accurate reporting for 19 years, and as early as 1943 had broadcast against the policies of the Soviet Union, need hardly be lectured on the menace of Communism by a junior Senator who "accepted Communist support as a 1946 candidate for Senator."

## Phi Beta Kappa . . .

Winslow Prize for Romance Languages. Just recently, Vogel was awarded a Fullbright Scholarship. This will allow him to spend next year studying French literature at the University of Dijon in France.

Luce has been President of Chi Psi and is a member of the Student Admissions Committee and the Chapel Board. He has won tht Soper Latin Prize.

Niebanck is Scholarship Chairman and Steward of T.K.E. He has been President and Secretary of the Student Christian Association at Hamilton, and is Editor of *The State News Letter* for the Student Christian Movement in New York. He has won the Winslow Prize in Greek and is a McKinney Prize speaker.

John Hitchcock, E.L.S., is a member of the Choir and is Co-Captain of the swimming team. He has won the German Prize.

This election has been the second of the school year. George Lowerre, Murray Goldstone, and Dave Nelson, all '54, were elected last fall. Professor Van Alstyne, President of tht Hamilton Phi Beta Kappa chapter, stated that there may be a third election in June.

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## Bob Ward Elected As Chairman of Student Admissions

Bob Ward, '55, has been appointed head of the Student Admissions Committee for next year. The appointment was approved by the Student Council at its Sunday meeting after Ward had been recommended by Peter Whitcombe, this year's chairman, and the Admissions Office.

Ward, an Alpha Delt, is business manager of the Charlatans and a letterman in soccer. Secretary of the I.R.C. and a member of the Choir, Ward was named this week as senior editor of the *Hamiltonian.*

## Blood Drive Tops Goal by 15 Pints

Over 140 pints of blood were donated to the Red Cross Blood Bank yesterday at the Alpha Delta Phi house between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. According to Mrs. Parkhurst, chairman of the Clinton Red Cross, the Was Los sponsored blood drive was a complete success.

Although the Red Cross quota of 125 pints was well surpassed, this third annual drive on the Hill did not break any previous record for pints of blood given in the Utica area. This was mainly because many students had had colds during the winter months.

Mrs. Ryan, who is with the Red Cross in Syracuse, was in charge of the Bloodmobile on the Hill. According to Comer Coppie who led the drive, the blood bank will be set up here again next year.

## Elections . . . Cont'd.

social committee and *Spectator* staff. Van Volkenburgh, a Sig, is a member of Was Los and D.T., was President of his class this year, is a varsity basketball player, and a member of the Student Council.

At Alpha Delt, the sophomores elected Chip Pickering vice-president, and Bob Connor, secretary-treasurer. Pickering is a Sig and captain of next year's hockey team. Connor, a TKE, is assistant Editor of *The Spectator* and a member of the Debate Club.

Bob Regan and Kurt Paul were elected Vice-Presidnt and Secretary-Treasurer respectively by the Freshman class at the Chemistry Auditorium. Regan, an Alpha Delt, is a hockey player and Kurt Paul, a TKE, is secretary of the Newman Club.

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ly-enthusiastic, but Deitrich's unexpected flair for humor, her whiskey mezzo, satirical treatment of *The Boys in the Back Room* (". . . see what the boys in the back room will have and tell them I'm having the same. . .") *Little Joe* and *You Have That Look That Leaves Me Weak* are decidedly impressive. Her bottle-tossing, hair-pulling performance as Frenchy is one of the finest of her career.

James Stewart gives a good performance as Thomas Jefferson Destry, the hero who uses his head and not his trigger finger to bring law to Bottle Neck. Mischa Auer is extremely amusing, and Samuel Hinds, as a bespectacled, tobacco-chewing mayor nearly steals the show whenever he appears.

## Degrees . . . Cont'd.

the Supreme Court of New York and Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals. Governor Dewey appointed him Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals.

He has been active in his community, serving in the Syracuse Chamber of Commerce. He is also a member of the Board of Trustees of Syracuse University. Lewis is a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon and Phi Delta Phi.

## Charlatans . . . Cont

by James Kehoe, and George Boveroux will be in charge of costumes.

**Tickets At Root Hall**

Tickets for the performances will be available in Root Hall on Friday, April 29, and during the following week. All seats will be reserved and students with dates will have priority for the Friday, May 9, performance.

Woodman said that no blocks would be given out for that night, and he urged that the faculty and students without dates choose another time.

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## Peter Jones Named Associate Editor On Yearbook Staff

Peter Jones has been named associate editor of next year's *Hamiltonian.* John Ibach, editor-in-chief, announced the names of eight other students who will serve as editors on next year's staff.

Senior Editor will be Bob Ward, Literary Editor will be Bob Fellows, and Fraternity Editor, Tom Fisher. Chuck Rammelt is layout editor, and Phil Sheldon photography editor. Bob Behnke and Phil Fenster will edit organization and sports coverage respectively. Copy Editor is Same Sade.

Jones is a Theta Delt, a member of the editorial board of the *Continental,* and art editor for this year's *Hamiltonian.*

## Hill Spanish Clu To Hold Fiesta

On Wednesday, April 21, at 8 p.m., the Spanish Club will celebrate Pan American Day in combination with La Fiesta de le Lengua. The prize for the best essay on Cervantes (a medal issued by the National Association of Teachers of Spanish) will be awarded on this occasion.

James Magee '55 will give a brief talk on the meaning of the Inter-American Organization. The program will include musical numbers by the students and the reading of various literary selections in Spanish by the students of Prof. G. Cotto-Thorner. Several colleges in this area are expected to send delegations to this event. The meeting will take place at the DKE House.

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## Council Approves Activity Budgets

The Student Council Monday night approved the following budgets for Hill organizations for next year.

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| Camera Club | 100 |
| Choir | 1,200 |
| Debate Club | 1,000 |
| Band | 30 |
| Buffers | 50 |
| Student Council | 100 |

## Sailing . . . Cont'd.

ton. Colgate, Hobart, and RPI also competed.

The first meet for the varsity will take place Saturday on Cayuga Lake, the home waters of the Cornell Sailing Team. Al Bagg, commodore of the club, will take Jim Crowley as crew in the "A" division while Scott Alexander, with Bill Harvey as crew, will skipper in the "B" group. Hobart, Cornell, Colgate, Hofstra, and Rutgers will round out the field in this hexagonal regatta.

The varsity is also scheduled for the Middle Atlantic Associate Member Championship on May 1st and 2nd at Catholic University, a pentagonal meet at Colgate on May 8th, and the Upstate New York Dinghy Championships at Syracuse on May 22nd. Attempts are being made to book informal regattas at Syracuse and Colgate on Sundays throughout the Spring. Interest has been high and the club now boasts of 15 members.

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(1) All prints must be handed in by Wednesday, May 5, 1954.

(2) Entries are to be left at the Circulation Desk in the library.

(3) Any size black and white print may be submitted; color prints cannot be accepted.

(4) Toned prints will be accepted.

(5) No person may submit more than five prints.

(6) Each print must bear the photographer's name on its reverse side.

(7) The entries may be displayed from May 7th to May 14th.

(8) Prints are to be suitably mounted on white paper or mounting board.

(9) The judges are Messrs. Cameron, Penney, and Pritchard.

**At a Chapter meeting Tuesday night Psi Upsilon elected the following officers: Ed Reed '55, president; Jim Thompson '55, Vice President; and Tom Fisher '55 Rushing Chairman,**

## Krumm to Speak In Chapel Sunday

The Chaplain of Columbia University, Reverend John M. Krumm, will be the Chapel Speaker on April 18.

Rev. Krumm is well known for his Church work on college campuses and has been Chairman of the Division of College Work in Los Angeles, Curate of St. Paul's Church in New Haven, and Dean and Rector of St. Paul's Cathedral in Los Angeles. Currently, he is co-author with James A. Pike of *"Road Blocks To Faith."*

Krumm received his B.D. degree from Virginia Theological Seminary, and his PhD. degree from Yale University for his study of Church history.

## I. M. Sing . . . Cont'd.

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